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The Honorable James C. Francis IV United States Magistrate Judge Southern District of New York 500 Pearl Street New York, New York, 10007 USDC SDNY
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Re: <u>Drescher v. City of New York et al</u>, 05 CV 7541 (KMK) (JCF)

Dear Judge Francis:

On behalf of plaintiff and defendants, I write to request a modification of the Case Management Order (CMO) in the above-captioned case, which currently provides for a fact-discovery cut-off date of September 1, 2006. The parties are working on the consolidated witness depositions, which are continuing, and responding to Interrogatories and Requests for Documents. Both sides need additional time for other discovery, including depositions of non-consolidated witnesses and parties. Accordingly, plaintiff and defendants jointly request that the Court grant a 3-month extension on all deadlines in the CMO in this case. If this meets with your approval, would you please "so order" it?

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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Respectfully submitted

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Application granted. SO ORDERED. James C. Francis TV